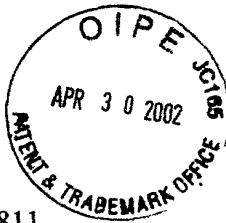


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RESPONSE

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Sir:

This is in response to the Notice To File Corrected Application Papers dated February 22, 2002 regarding the above-identified application.

Remarks

A substitute specification with proper margins is submitted herewith. The disclosure is identical to the disclosure set forth in the specification with improper margins. Thus, no new matter has been added.

A substitute sequence listing is submitted herewith accompanied by a statement pursuant to 37 CFR 1.821(g) and 1.825(b).

A copy of this notice also accompanies these submissions.

Please charge any fees associated with the filing of this response, including but not limited to, any extensions of time to Deposit Account No. 04-1928 (E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company).

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
 - Papers contain improper margins. Each sheet must have a left margin of at least 2.5 cm (1") and top, bottom and right margins of at least 2.0 cm (3/4")

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